#### **Computing**

We will be introducing our new topic on algorithms and logical reasoning this term.

The children will follow a series of instructions to make their own Lego models and then write and 'debug' their own simple programs to bring these models to life.

#### **Physical Education**

There is a change to our timetabled P.E. slots this half term. Year 2 will now have P.E. with the coaches every **Thursday** and should come to school in their kit on this day.

In addition to this, children will continue to have P.E. every <u>Friday</u> afternoon led by Grazebrook's specialist dance teacher.

# **Grazebrook Primary School**



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#### **Religious Education**

*In RE we will be learning to:* 

- Explore Christian traditions at Lent and Easter.
- Read stories of Jesus' death and resurrection.
- Explore how the symbols of Easter are associated with endings and new beginnings.

#### **Please Remember**

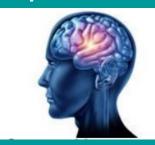
Maths homework will go home on Fridays of every week. Homework must be returned on Wednesday in time for marking.

Our new 'Home Learning Passport' will be sent out next week. Home learning projects will be due by Monday 27th March.



### Year 2

#### **Super Humans**



#### **IPC Topic**

Our IPC topic this term is 'Super Humans'. This unit will help children learn how the major parts of their body work.

**Science:** We will be learning about the main external body parts and how the brain connects them. We will recap our understanding of the five senses and investigate the ways they work. We will be learning about ways to live healthily and how medicines can help us when we are sick.

#### Reading

Children will be continuing with SFA or RWI from Week 3, once writing weeks are completed, alongside twice weekly DFAR sessions.

Accelerated Reader tests can be taken throughout the week. We recommend children read their book at least twice once for fluency and a second time for understanding.

#### **Mathematics**

In our 'Maths Meetings', we will practise strategies for answering questions that apply our learning in number, shape, space and measure.

Children will practise mental recall of number facts. They will be tested on these in their weekly 'Beat That!' tests.

In our daily Maths lessons, we will be continuing to explore time. Children will be learning to tell analogue time with increasing accuracy which will provide them with useful skills to help them better understand their daily routine.

#### Writing

The writing week text for Year 2 this half term will be 'The Tiger who came to tea' by Judith Kerr. First, we will immerse ourselves in the text, with role play, story mapping and retelling activities in small groups. After building our awareness of the story and exploring the necessary vocabulary, we will write our own terrible teatime tale. allowing the children to explore narrative writing.

## PERSONAL LEARNING GOALS

Adaptability

cooperation

REMEMBER OUR IPC

RESILIENCE

morality



communication

respect

thoughtfulness

#### How can you help me at home?

Help me practise my times tables at speed. By the end of the term children should be confident with all their 3, 5 and 10 times tables.

Help me practise my spellings for the test each Friday.



